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Comments on pending legislation

Office of General Counsel

This bill would add to the Act of 26 August 1950 a proviso stating that suspension of an employee or civilian officer is not necessarily required prior to hearing or termination. It provides increased flexibility of treatment for the agency head in handling special security cases, while in no way limiting his authority to terminate or suspend. This is the statute upon which Executive Order 10450 is based. There is no reason for this Agency to object to the bill, and no action is required.

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